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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

In re the patent application of: Christopher J. R. Paszty, Jin Cao, and Jianhua Gong
 For: Beta-Like Glycoprotein Hormone Polypeptide and Heterodimer

Transmitted herewith are:

- ☒ 143 pages of specification, 20 pages of claim(s) and 1 pages of abstract, totaling 164 pages.
- ☒ 6 sheet(s) of drawings.
- ☒ a declaration by the applicants (3 pgs).
- ☒ 3 pages of sequence listing, Attorney Statement (1 pg), and Sequence Listing Diskette.
- ☐ a certified copy of _____
- ☒ Other: Assignment including Recordation Cover Sheet (5 pgs)
 Information Disclosure Statement including 1449 Forms (5 pgs) and 14 references.
- ☒ Preliminarily, please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following:

--This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60,192,654, filed March 28, 2000, and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/199,211, filed April 24, 2000, which are hereby incorporated by reference.--

CLAIMS AS FILED

For	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate		Fee
Total Claims	217	- 20 =	197	x	\$18.00	=	\$3,546.00
Independent Claims	17	- 3 =	14	x	\$80.00	=	1,120.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	53			+	\$270.00	=	270.00
Basic Fee					\$710.00	=	\$710.00
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